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Applicant : Raymond J. Bergeron, Jr.
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For : Method and Composition for the Treatment of
Diarrhea and Gastrointestinal Spasms
Art Unit : 1614
Examiner : Rebecca Cook

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's duty of disclosure, the following information is submitted for consideration by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application.

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The application relies, under 35 USC §120, on the earlier filing date of prior U.S. Application Serial No. 09/734,660 filed December 13, 2000 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,399,662). The references identified on the attached Form PTO-1449 were submitted to and/or cited by the Office in this prior application and, therefore copies are not required to be provided. (see 37

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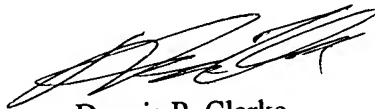
CFR §1.98(d)). The following reference was not cited in the prior application and a copy of the article is being submitted herewith:

*Conteas et al., *Therapy for Human Gastrointestinal Microsporidiosis*, Am. J. Trop. Med. Hyg., 63(3, 4), 2000, pp121-127

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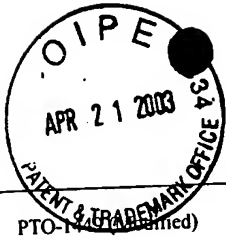


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